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SUBJECT: CONSULTATIONS WITH SOVIET OFFICIALS REGARDING
ACTIVITIES OF IOC

REF: A. MOSCOW 2334; B. STATE 39273

1. REGRET REF B SENT BEFORE REF A RECEIVED IN ACTION
OFFICE.
2. BROWN HAS REVISED ITINERARY IN ACCORDANCE WITH REF A.
ETA MOSCOW 1840 MARCH 9 JAL 440 FROM PARIS. ETD 1800
MARCH 11 BEA 883 TO LONDON.
3. PLEASE CONVEY REVISED DATES TO INTOURIST AND
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CONFIRM THAT FIRST CLASS HOTEL RESERVATIONS MADE.

4. FOLLOWING COMMENTS RELATE TO ADDITIONAL TOPICS
RAISED BY METALNIKOV:

1. WE ARE UNCERTAIN OF EXACT MEANING THIS TOPIC. IF
IT MEANS U.S. PLANS FOR RESEARCH IN INDIAN OCEAN, BROWN

CAN OUTLINE NSF PLANNED SPONSORSHIP OF PROJECTS IN REGION.

2. BROWN WILL ATTEMPT TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON U.S. PARTICIPATION IN GARP (FGGE) BUT IS NOT IN POSITION TO DISCUSS. HE WILL BE HAPPY TO REPORT SOVIET COMMENTS ON THIS MATTER TO APPROPRIATE U.S. AUTHORITIES.

3. WE ARE UNCERTAIN ON MEANING OF THIS TOPIC BUT IT MAY REFER TO DOCUMENT IOC/INF-303 ENTITLED "TECHNICAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE BIENNIAL ELECTIONS OF OFFICERS OF THE COMMISSION AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL". OUR THINKING ON THIS MATTER IS STILL IN A PRELIMINARY STAGE BUT BROWN WILL BE HAPPY TO RECEIVE SOVIET COMMENTS AND SUGGESTIONS IN PREPARATION FOR FURTHER DISCUSSIONS AT IOC EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING WHICH WILL NOW BE HELD IN PARIS APRIL 4-8.

4. WE ARE ALSO UNCERTAIN ON THIS POINT BUT IT APPEARS THAT ANY DISCUSSION OF SOVIET PARTICIPATION IN IOC SECRETARIAT WOULD BEST BE HELD DURING EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING. AGAIN, HOWEVER, BROWN WILL BE HAPPY TO RECEIVE SOVIET COMMENTS AND PROPOSALS IN PREPARATION FOR SUCH DISCUSSIONS.

5. WITH REGARD TO POINTS 3 AND 4, U.S. REP TO IOC, DAVID H. WALLACE, HOPES TO BE ABLE TO MEET WITH ADMIRAL RASSOKHO IN PARIS IMMEDIATELY PRIOR TO EC MEETING. PLEASE CONFIRM THAT THIS IS POSSIBLE. IF UNCLASSIFIED

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SO, WE WILL EXCHANGE INFORMATION CONCERNING MAKING CONTACT IN PARIS AT A LATER DATE.
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